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■ Senior school students of St Christopher's School, accompanied by art teacher Ben Faux and head of drama Jo Lee, set out to enjoy the London experience. The art teacher took on the role of a navigator and students visited art galleries and landmarks. They also attended workshops that tested their drama skills. Above, Mr Faux, left, and Ms Lee, right, with the students outside Parliament House in London.



■ Seven Bahrain School of Music and Arts students won top prizes in the third annual GCC Music Competition, in Dubai. In level one and two piano, Jasmeen Ameen came first, Abdulla Al Khalifa and Ian Fernandez came second while Rebecca Maria and Majed Ameen took third place. Claire Fernandez and Kseniya Stanevich received honourable mention in second and third level piano. Sixty-two students from Bahrain, Dubai, Kuwait, Qatar, Sharjah, Al Ain and Abu Dhabi took part. The National Conservatory and Emirates Youth Symphony Orchestra's director and conductor Riad Kudsi presented certificates to winners. Above, Mr Kudsi with Bahrain School of Music and Arts winners.



■ Mogaveers Bahrain appointed chief founder Leeladhar Baikampady as its president. The Decennial Executive Committee for 2014-15 was also named at the annual general meeting chaired by outgoing president Nagesh Naik. Above, the new committee members are, seated, from left, Suresh Amin, Thottam (entertainment secretary), Girish Iddyia, Surathkal (decennial programme co-ordinator), Naveen Karkera, Mukka-Mithrapatna (secretary-general), Leeladhar Baikampady (president), Sharmila Bhaskar (vice-president), Chandra Mogaveera (treasurer). Standing, from left, are Arun Karkera, (organising secretary), Puneeth Puthran (sports secretary), Theertha K Suvama, Thenka Yermal (PRO), Manohar Hejmady (internal auditor), Nandakishore Puthran, Mukka-Mithrapatna (committee member).



■ Six Bahrain School students took part in the European Regional Junior Science and Humanities Symposium (JSHS). This year Department of Defence Dependents Schools Europe held its 40th annual JSHS in Riedstadt, Germany, where students presented their scientific research. First prize winner was Garrett Davidson who won a BD754 scholarship, BD94 in cash, and a trip to the National JSHS in Washington to present his work. Fourth place winner was Laura Pedersen who received BD94 in cash and a trip to the National JSHS in Washington. Other members of the team also took part in various competitions and were awarded. Above, from left, team members Laura, Eva Catillon, Garrett, Bahrain School teacher Brian Zimmer, Patrick Johnson, Trent Davidson and Jenna McAllister.



■ Four students from Bahrain Polytechnic were honoured by acting chief executive Dr Mohamed Al Aseeri for taking part in the ninth ICC International Commercial Mediation Competition held in Paris. The team was nominated for two awards, the best newcomers and the best opening statement in a mediation session. Dr Al Aseeri congratulated the students, team coach Yasmin Sebah and staff on the achievement. Above, the winners with acting manager of marketing and communication Ahmed Janahi, third from left, Dr Al Aseeri, centre, and Ms Sebah, third from right.



■ GPIC Medical Centre, in collaboration with Salmaniya Medical Complex Blood Bank, organised a blood donation campaign at the company's headquarters. Ninety-seven donors took part and GPIC president Dr Abdulrahman Jawahery praised the efforts of the medical centre in providing the services. Above, Mr Jawahery donating blood.